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## HOUSE MOTION \_\_\_\_\_

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that House Bill 1951 be recommitted to a Committee of One, its sponsor, with specific instructions to amend as follows:

- 1 Page 2, line 4, strike "CAHEA,".
- 2 Page 2, line 4, delete "CAAHEP, or a successor agency." and insert
- 3 **"an accrediting agency."**
- 4 Page 2, line 19, strike "CAHEA,".
- 5 Page 2, line 19, delete "CAAHEP, or a successor agency." and insert
- 6 **"an accrediting agency."**
- 7 Page 2, line 22, delete "'CAAHEP" refers to the" and insert
- 8 **""Accrediting agency" refers to any of the following, including a**
- 9 **successor agency to any of the following:**
- 10 **(1) Accreditation Review Commission on Education for the**
- 11 **Physician Assistant.**
- 12 **(2) Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education**
- 13 **Programs.**
- 14 **(3) Committee on Allied Health Education and Accreditation**
- 15 **of the American Medical Association."**
- 16 Page 2, delete lines 23 through 24, begin a new paragraph and
- 17 insert:
- 18 "SECTION 6. IC 25-27.5-2-5.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA
- 19 CODE AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS
- 20 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2001]: Sec. 5.5. "Deep sedation" means a
- 21 **controlled state of depressed consciousness, accompanied by**
- 22 **partial loss of protective reflexes, including the inability to respond**

purposefully to a verbal command, produced by a pharmacologic method."

Page 2, between lines 30 and 31, begin a new paragraph and insert:  
 "SECTION 8. IC 25-27.5-2-7.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2001]: **Sec. 7.5. "General anesthesia" means a controlled state of unconsciousness, accompanied by a partial or complete loss of protective reflexes, including the inability to independently maintain an airway and respond purposefully to physical stimulation or verbal command, produced by a pharmacologic method.**

SECTION 9. IC 25-27.5-2-7.8 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2001]: **Sec. 7.8. "Light conscious sedation" means a minimally depressed level of consciousness under which an individual retains the ability to independently and continuously maintain an airway and respond appropriately to physical stimulation and verbal command, produced by a pharmacologic method.**

Page 2, between lines 39 and 40, begin a new paragraph and insert:  
 "SECTION 11. IC 25-27.5-2-12.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2001]: **Sec. 12.5. "Regional block anesthesia" means spinal anesthesia, epidural anesthesia, major peripheral nerve blocks, and intravenous extremity blocks, but does not include local infiltration anesthetics and digital blocks.**"

Page 3, line 8, strike "CAHEA,".

Page 3, line 8, delete "CAAHEP, or a successor agency;" and insert "an accrediting agency;"

Page 4, line 1, delete "subsection" and insert "subsections".

Page 4, after "(b)" insert "and (c)".

Page 4, between lines 6 and 7, begin a new paragraph and insert:  
 "(c) A physician assistant may not prescribe, administer, or monitor general anesthesia, regional block anesthesia, and deep sedation. A physician assistant may not administer light conscious sedation during diagnostic tests, surgical procedures, or obstetric procedures unless the following conditions are met:

(1) A physician is physically present in the area and is immediately available to assist in the management of the patient.

(2) The physician assistant is qualified to rescue patients from deep sedation and is competent to manage a compromised airway and to provide adequate oxygenation and ventilation."

Page 4, line 7, delete "(c)" and insert "(d)".

Page 4, line 17, delete "(d)" and insert "(e)".

Page 4, line 26, delete "drugs;" and insert "drugs, except as

- 1 **provided in IC 25-27.5-5-4(c);".**
- 2 Page 5, after line 25, begin a new paragraph and insert:
- 3 "SECTION 17. IC 25-27.5-2-4 IS REPEALED [EFFECTIVE JULY
- 4 1, 2001].".
- 5 Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.  
(Reference is to HB 1951 as printed February 15, 2001.)

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Representative Welch



Adopted

Rejected

# COMMITTEE REPORT

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee of One, to which was referred House Bill 1951, begs leave to report that said bill has been amended as directed.

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Representative Welch